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Applicant: Luis E. Zapata

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated March 12, 2001, enclosed please find Five (5) sheets of corrected figures. The Application was originally filed with Four (4) sheets of drawings. No new matter is introduced. In Response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed on March 10, 2003, delay was due to the fact that the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers was overlooked as it was improperly stapled to the Filing Receipt by the USPTO and not discovered as received by Applicant until receipt of the Notice of Abandonment.

In the event any further question should arise, please contact the undersigned at (925) 422-7820.

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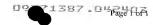
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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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